DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

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Subject: Increased Reimbursement Rates for Fiscal Year 2007-08

At its July 2007 meeting, the Commission approved the continuation of increased reimbursement rates for both Basic Course subsistence and for regular subsistence. The reimbursement rate increases that were effective for courses starting on or after October 1, 2006, will continue through this fiscal year.

- Reimbursement for Basic Course subsistence will be \$50 per day statewide.
- Reimbursement for all other subsistence (lodging and meals) will be \$128 per day, except as listed below:
  - \$156 per day for lodging in Los Angeles and San Diego Counties
  - \$189 per day for lodging in Alameda, San Francisco, San Mateo, and Santa Clara Counties

In addition, the Commission has suspended backfill reimbursement for the entire Fiscal Year 2007-08. However, POST will pay claims for backfill reimbursement for courses that began before July 1, 2007.

To sustain the increased reimbursement rates, POST will submit a Budget Change Proposal (BCP) to the State Department of Finance in September for consideration for the FY 2008-09 Governor's Budget.

You may direct your reimbursement claim questions to the Reimbursement Unit at 916.227.3933. Please call me at 916.227.2803 if you have questions about the POST budget or related issues.

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